

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

MONTROSE.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

MONTROSE, Nov. 18.—E. S. Shepherd and family of Wilkes-Barre, who have been visiting relatives in town, returned to their home today.

Hon. James T. Duffus of Hallstead, was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Ethelia Smith of Forest Lake, is visiting friends in this place, where she resided for many years.

Candidates for Republican nominations for county offices, to be filled next year, are becoming numerous. Three candidates for register and recorder are reported from the township of Clifford alone. Up to this time, Montrose has, or is reputed to have, two aspirants for the state senate, one for representative, one for register and recorder and one for sheriff.

Dr. B. W. Genuin and son, Edward, were in Binghamton on Saturday.

Attorney E. E. Scott, of Scranton, was the guest of his parents at their home in this place over Sunday.

Mrs. E. Guy was calling on friends in Binghamton on Saturday.

Adelbert Darow, of Great Bend, spent Sunday at the home of his parents near this place.

Mrs. Harry Fredericks and little child, of Germantown, Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dennis, etc., in this place.

S. Bruce Chase, esq., of Hallstead, was professionally engaged in town on Saturday.

Ex-Sheriff Richard Forum of Friendsville, was transacting business in town the last of the week.

At a meeting of the Century club, held on Friday evening, a constitution and by-laws were adopted and the following officers were elected: S. S. Wright, president; J. M. Kelly, first vice president; R. S. Seale, second vice president; directors, J. P. Taylor and M. S. Allen to serve two years, and Norman Stewart and N. Warner, for one year. These officers form the board of trustees, by which the other officers, secretary, treasurer, etc., will be appointed.

Four Brothers post, No. 153, Grand Army of the Republic, of this place, has nominated the following candidates for officers during the ensuing year: Commander, Dr. C. C. Hausey; senior vice, Barrett L. Robinson; junior vice, S. P. Lane; chaplain, C. N. Warner; surgeon, Mason Fugger; quartermaster, J. P. Taylor; officer of the day, W. H. Dennis, etc.; officer of the guard, Hamilton Youngs; representative to department encampment, one to be elected; E. P. Munger, F. L. Lott; trustees, G. F. Watrous, E. P. Munger.

The second week of November term of court opened in this place today. Judge Daniel W. Seale presiding.

Chief Justice J. Brewster McCollum, of the Pennsylvania Supreme court, has returned from Pittsburg and will spend several weeks at his home in this place.

Hon. D. C. Timan is still seriously ill at his home on Bank street.

A very interesting game of foot ball was played between Tunkhannock and Montrose in this place on Saturday. Our team was clearly out-weighted by their opponents, but they held them down well and played a good game.

Tunkhannock freely admitted the score was 15-0 in favor of Tunkhannock. The visitors were a manly lot of fellows and made many friends during their brief stay in town. They enjoyed Montrose hospitality until Sunday morning, when they departed via the Narrow Gauge, for their homes.

HALLSTEAD.

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Hallstead, Nov. 18.—Mr. Thomas, a newspaper man of experience from Elmira, was in town Monday contemplating leasing the County Herald.

Charles Simons died of consumption Sunday morning at his boarding house, the home of Mrs. Sadie Lord, on Lackawanna avenue. In November, he contracted a heavy cold which later developed into consumption.

Death was caused by the consumption. He died at 11:10 a.m. His age was 26 years. His father and mother are both living. For many years he was employed as brakeman on the Lackawanna railroad, being last employed on the train crew of G. Y. Preston. The funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Wednesday at the house. E. E. Tuttle is the undertaker in charge. The remains will be taken to Foster for burial in the family plot there. His service on the railroad was always highly satisfactory.

WALUSING.

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Walusing, Nov. 18.—Miss Lucretia Turrell returned to Montrose after spending the summer with Mrs. Anna Porter.

Miss Allie Shattuck spent a few days with friends at Scranton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chamberlain, of Ashbury Park, N. J., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Susan Chamberlain.

Mrs. D. V. Keefer entertained the twentieth Century club Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Fisher Weier spent last Tuesday with relatives at McKeyonay.

Mrs. William Weier and daughters returned home Saturday from a visit with relatives at Athens.

Mr. Roy Adcock and Miss Lottie Leammons were married at her brother's, Mr. Edward Leammons, in Brownstown on Thursday by the Rev. A. J. Cook.

Miss Jessie Slemon leaves Wednesday evening for New Haven, Conn.

DURYEA.

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Duryea, Nov. 18.—A cow owned by Mr. John King, of this place, while grazing in the large field near King's quarry offices yesterday, suddenly disappeared. Some citizens who were standing near noticed the disappearance of the cow and investigated and found that the animal had fallen into the earth within a large cave that had suddenly taken place. They soon secured an apparatus and lifted the cow from its strange position, but the cow died from the injuries received in the cave. The cow was caused by a shifting of quicksand in the mines. The Burke residence was damaged by a cave-in on South Main street recently.

Mr. Dominic King, for several years township commissioner, died at his home on York avenue.

Mrs. Thomas Cox was a visitor in Pittston Saturday.

Mrs. John Whitman visited her

at Walusing, became intoxicated and suffered a case of delirium tremens. He was taken in charge by the local officer, while on the streets beggar wearing apparel, and after becoming sober was sent back to his home in Luzerne county.

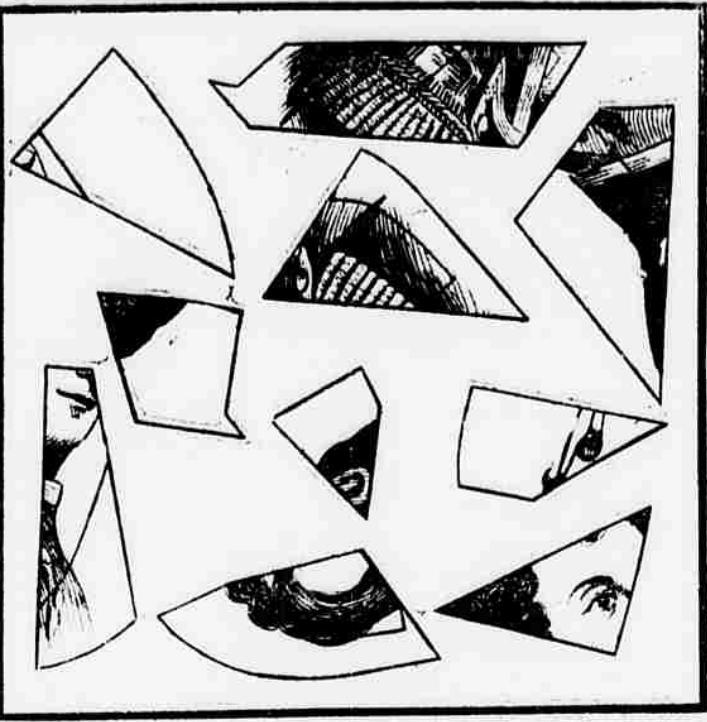
Smith Halstead, a young man of Bentley Creek, this county, had a terrible experience a few days ago, while on a hunting expedition. With a companion, he was in the woods near his home, when climbing through brush, over fences and rails, he fell, ramming the muzzle of his gun into the ground, it clearing it out with the muzzle exploded, tearing from the barrel a piece of steel, which entered his face to the left of his nose and severed the tissue from his face, also tearing the upper jawbone and lacerating the eye and lodging under the forehead on the right side of his face. Injured as he was, he walked a mile to a doctor's house, who, after dressing the wound, removed him to a hospital at Elmira. Although Mr. Halstead will have a disfigured nose, he will recover.

SPRINGVILLE.

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Towanda, Nov. 18.—Several committees announced on Saturday are well under way for the big day on Tuesday, November 26, when the sol-

PORTRAIT PUZZLE.



Cut out the several parts and reassemble the letter D—the first letter in the name of a famous American admiral.

ders' and sailors' monument will be unveiled. The following have assured their presence for the occasion: Governor Stone and staff, Generals Shieles and King, four companies of the Ninth regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, of Wilkes-Barre, also prominent veterans, together with every post, society and patriotic organization in the county.

Q. A. Kline, agent for the Stegmaier Brewing company, has just received a fine sailboat, which was made by J. M. Brown, of Walusing. Mr. Kline expects to fit it with a naphtha engine.

Mrs. George Bridgewater fell down a flight of stairs on Tuesday and badly broke the bones in both her arms below the elbow.

R. A. Mercur is taking a business trip through West Virginia.

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A new postoffice called Con is being established on the stage route between Rutherford and Rome.

St. Joseph's Catholic church at Athens will be completed and dedicated about Dec. 25.

The newly elected officers of Vista Lodge, No. 187, D. of R., will be installed Saturday evening, Dec. 7, as follows: N. G. Jenkins; Stang, V. G.; Ross; Gerritson; secretary, E. N. Prichard; treasurer, Linda Barnes. Mrs. E. H. Pickard was elected trustee for three years.

Rev. J. E. Morrison, of Avoca, was visiting his many friends in "Towanda" last week, when he secured a job at \$12 a week in a shop.

Dr. H. Brooks, of Conyn, has been appointed a resident surgeon at a soldier's home near Norfolk, Va.

Charles Lamont, a resident of this country for nearly sixty years, died at his home in Granville Center, aged 82 years.

Mr. W. H. Williams' teams moved Ray Cutler's goods over to New Milford last week, when he secured a job at \$12 a week in a shop.

The dwelling occupied by Mrs. Ethel Terry and owned by Mrs. E. B. Jessup of Scranton is being reshelved and otherwise repaired.

Mrs. Jennie Kilts went from here Tuesday en route for Buffalo, N. Y., expecting to meet her husband, C. W. Kilts there and go on to California.

Mrs. Anna Grattan has lately received news from her daughter, Mrs. Mamie Lyman, Red Lodge, Montana, that she is grandmama to a healthy young boy.

R. P. McCormick, a former engineer of the Pittsburgh, Binghamton and Eastern railroad, with headquarters in Towanda, has been arrested in New York city, charged with sending threatening and libelous letters through the mails.

Eighteen hundred tickets were sold to Buffalo at Towanda during the Pan-American exposition.

Railroad Detective Caskey has arrested a lad named Everett, of Rumford, for breaking glass on the automatic signal posts.

Two deputy sheriffs are still kept on guard at the Berne mine, others having lately been discharged.

William M. Chaffee of Warren Center, just celebrated his ninetieth birthday. He is a native of Rhode Island and came to this country in 1882. Four generations are present on the occasion.

The count of appeals has handed down a decision denying the motion for reargument, made on behalf of Fred Krist, the man condemned at Waverly, N. Y., who was granted a writ of habeas corpus by the governor and set free on sentence of death. On Nov. 20, Krist shot Kate Tobin, at Waverly, in April, 1900, and was to have been electrocuted at Auburn prison on the 4th of this month.

Miss Fannie Strange, a colored lady of Waverly, while visiting at Elmira last week, was taken insane, as the result of some revival meetings held at her home. She was taken in charge by the superintendent of the poor of Tioga.

A bomb exploded in the sleeping apartments at the Todd hotel on Saturday evening. Considerable damage was done to the furnishings and belongings of the room before the flames were extinguished.

Harry Welch of Plymouth, who came to work on the railroad bridge

sick, and the chances are that his run of fever will be light. The Oddfellows have hired a nurse to care for him.

Little Coral, the ten-year-old daughter of S. O. Culver and wife, was taken severely ill a week ago with pneumonia and for a time was in great distress, but is better now.

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